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THE OCEAN

The ocean is important to all living things. More than 70 percent of Earth's surface is covered by oceans. If you saw Earth from outer space, it would look similar to a blue marble. That's a lot of water!

The ocean is Earth's largest habitat.

There is only one world ocean and five ocean basins. The water in the world ocean flows between the ocean basins, just like rivers move on land.

Animals live in the ocean. Different animals live in different parts of the ocean depending on what they need to stay alive.

It's important that humans take care of the ocean so it stays healthy for years to come. One way to help the ocean is to pick up trash on the beach.

Scientists have only explored part of the ocean. There is still so much left to explore!

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